

The Bamberg Herald

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Thursday, Nov. 18, 1915.

A headline in the Charlotte Observer reads: "On the cob North Carolina corn is worth 83 cents." But what probably is concerning the Tarheel is what North Carolina corn is worth in the jug—since the old North State went dry.

We are glad to note that the sewerage matter has been revived and that the prospects for a system of sewerage and waterworks for the near future are practically certain. We predict for Bamberg a big movement forward when the town is supplied with a plentiful supply of good water and a sewerage system.

In taking the position that the salaries of State officers should not be increased at this time, Governor Manning is entirely right, to our mind. The salaries of all State officers, and many county officers, are too low, it is true, but the people are now trying to recuperate from the ruinous conditions of the past eighteen months, and it would not be right to further burden them with increased taxes to raise salaries now.

In the columns of The Herald today will be found advertisements of a large number of local concerns. Our subscribers will do well to read every one of them. In these advertisements they will find many bargains worthy of the reader's attention. Bamberg is a growing city, and her stores are improving with the city's growth. Let everybody give the home stores their liberal cooperation. Bamberg is a good town to live in and her stores are good places to buy from.

"Twenty-seven Americans went down with the Ancon," says a headline. As to whether it is right or wrong, according to international law, we don't know; but we cannot see for the life of us why anyone should be so foolish as to travel on a steamship of a warring nation, knowing when they do so that they are liable not to return home. And we don't see why Uncle Sam should trouble his mind too much about their fate, either. It may be barbarous, but the passengers knew the danger before they started.

A New York paper recently inquired of Governor Manning: "Do the people of your State approve President Wilson's plans for strengthening the army and navy?" The governor replied: "People of South Carolina have implicit confidence in the honesty, judgment, patriotism and broadminded statesmanship of President Wilson, and so far as I am able to learn, heartily endorse his stand for national defence." The sentiment expressed in the governor's reply is without doubt shared by nearly every citizen of the State. The fast returning normal conditions in this country is due in a large measure, we believe, to the confidence people have in the wisdom of the president.

Says the Gaffney Ledger: "We hope every farmer in Cherokee will sow enough wheat to do him at least a year, and a little more, so he can feed his city cousins. If we will only raise our own meat and bread we will not be disturbed by the fluctuations in the price of cotton." That is sound advice. The people of Bamberg county know this by practical experience. Last season the farmers in this county planted largely in wheat, and although it was their first experience, a conservative estimate places the value of this crop to the county at not less than \$25,000. The prospects are that a much better crop will be made this year, as the farmers have learned a good deal about wheat raising this past year.

Some merchants do not believe in advertising. Others believe in advertising once in a great while. Ask the merchant who uses space regularly and liberally in The Herald whether or not it pays him. Ask any concern that does a large amount of advertising if it does not pay. The trouble is, Mr. Merchant, if your advertising has not been paying you, the fault is yours and not the fault of the advertising. Advertising does pay—millions have been made from no other source than by advertising. Some of the most widely advertised articles owe their entire existence to the advertising campaigns that promoted them. As a good experiment, take, for instance, some article that you see advertised everywhere. When you begin to notice that that certain article is no longer being advertised, take note of how long afterward it lives.

The Orangeburg county fair was a great success in every way. The exhibits were fine, and the attendance, so it is stated, was almost double that of last year. While the writer did not have the pleasure of visiting the fair, those who went from Bamberg, and they were legion in number, were much pleased with Orangeburg's annual exhibit. From a financial standpoint, the fair did well, and will doubtless show a profit; and the benefits to the county cannot be overestimated. The county exhibit in Orangeburg is growing in usefulness. The get-together spirit of all fairs is one of the finest things about them. It tends to bring the producer and the consumer into closer relations and a better understanding. The products of the county were well displayed, and it is safe to say that there are many citizens of Orangeburg who learned much from their visit to the fair. Now is the time to take steps toward the organization of a fair for Bamberg next fall. By starting now, the necessary arrangements and the erection of suitable buildings could be completed in good time for an exhibit next fall.

The fall and winter is a time with many farmers for rest. Many of them consider that when the crop is gathered, the work on the farm is at an end for some months to come. Therein, the farmers err. There are many things that ought to be done right now. If you would have a good paying farm, don't stop your work this winter. Here are twelve things you can do this month, according to the Progressive Farmer:

1. Finish the harvesting of the corn and cotton as soon as possible.
2. See that all cotton and cotton seed being held are kept dry and are not rotting.
3. Keep up the warfare on the stumps, getting them out of the way for better farming.
4. Terrace your fields to prevent washing.
5. Get some tile and lay a line through that wet spot, thus insuring good crops on it.
6. Lay in a big supply of stove wood to last mother through the winter months.
7. See that all implements in use are oiled, painted, repaired and put away in a dry place.
8. Sow a cover crop of rye on all lands where it has not been possible for you to put clovers or vetch.
9. Continue to sow oats in the lower half of the cotton belt.
10. Watch the barnyard and take precautions against its becoming a filthy lake of manure and mud.
11. Start the road drag, using it after every rain.
12. Subscribe for some good papers and magazines for the family to read during the long winter evenings.

The only business way to run newspaper subscriptions is cash in advance. By this it is not meant that there are a great many persons who would not pay their subscriptions. But there are some. For instance the other day The Herald received a notice from one of the county's postmasters stating that The Herald addressed to a citizen at that place had been refused, and instructing us to discontinue the paper. We looked the subscriber up, and found that his subscription expired March 1, 1914. He was one of the subscribers that we presumed we were favoring by carrying over through the past year's unfavorable conditions. We understand that this gentleman is worth considerable money, and he has a reputation for paying his debts; but, somehow, it seems that some people do not consider owing a newspaper subscription a debt. Of course the newspaper loses. Under the postal laws, we are required to stop this paper. Now, The Herald does not regret favoring its friends for the past year by continuing their papers, and we just mention this to show at what expense we did so; for, unfortunately, there are quite a good many people like the one above referred to—good citizens, pay their debts promptly; but somehow or other do not include their subscriptions among their debts. Had The Herald strictly enforced its cash-in-advance rule, there would have been no paper refused, for we would have known when the time expired and the subscriber had not renewed, that he did not want the paper another year.

Could Not Trust Him.

A gentleman having engaged a bricklayer to make some repairs in his cellar, ordered the ale to be removed before the bricklayer commenced his work.

"Oh, I'm not afraid of a barrel of ale, saire," said the man.

"It isn't your courage I doubt, but that of the ale," was the reply. "I am positive it would run if you came near it."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Glendale springs water for sale at Herndon's Grocery Store and Mack's Drug Store.—adv.

Crystallized Pineapple at Hoffman's.—adv.

MASTER'S REPORT.

By virtue of an order in the court of common pleas in the case of C. F. Rizer, plaintiff, against W. A. Hay, Jr., et al., defendants, I, H. C. Folk, Master for Bamberg county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder in front of the court house door, Bamberg, South Carolina, on the 6th day of December, 1915, between the legal hours of sale on said day, the following described property, to wit:

Tract No. 1. All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the county of Bamberg, State of South Carolina, measuring and containing Fifty (50) acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: North by lands of Mrs. M. L. Kennedy and D. J. Hartzog; East by lands of H. C. Rice and Mc. P. Eubanks; South by lands of W. A. Hay, Jr., and West by lands of Rosa Hay.

Tract No. 2. All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the county of Bamberg, State of South Carolina, measuring and containing Fifty (50) acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: North by lands of Mrs. D. J. Hartzog; East by lands of W. A. Hay, Jr.; South by lands of Rosa Hay; and West by lands of H. C. Rice.

Terms of sale cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

H. C. FOLK,
Master for Bamberg County.

MASTER'S SALE.

By virtue of an order in the court of common pleas in the case of Ada Rice, et al., plaintiffs, against Leila Patrick, et al., defendants, I, H. C. Folk, Master for Bamberg county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in front of the court house door, Bamberg, South Carolina, on the 6th day of December, 1915, between the legal hours of sale on said day, the following described property, to wit:

Lot No. 1. All those certain lots of land situate in the town of Denmark, county of Bamberg, State of South Carolina, designated as lots Nos. 3, 4 and 5 in block No. 36, as shown by map or plat of said town of Denmark made by G. W. Gooding, Jr., bearing date December 22nd, 1896.

Lot No. 2. All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the town of Orangeburg, county of Orangeburg, State of South Carolina, measuring and containing One Hundred (100) feet respectively: on the East and West lines Two Hundred (200) feet respectively; said lot being described as lot No. 47 on plat made by Edward Hayes, Jr., December 30th, 1910, and recorded in the office of the clerk of court for Orangeburg county. Said lot is more particularly described in deed of conveyance executed by Lilla V. Wanner, et al., to Taylor Walker, bearing date August 12th, 1912, and recorded in the office of the clerk of court for Orangeburg county, in book E, page 172.

Terms of sale cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

H. C. FOLK,
Master for Bamberg County.

NOTICE.

State of South Carolina, County of Bamberg.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th of December, 1915, in front of the banking house of the Bank of Lodge, at Lodge, S. C., the Bank of Lodge will sell to the highest bidder for cash ten (10) shares of stock represented by Stock Certificate No. 31, issued by the Bank of Lodge to W. D. Bennett on the 2nd day of February, 1914; the par value of each share of stock being Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars.

That the said stock will be sold to satisfy the unpaid portion of the purchase price therefor, and also to satisfy a Collateral Note of the said W. D. Bennett, dated May 18, 1915, for Four Hundred and Sixteen (\$416.00) Dollars to the Bank of Lodge, due the 15th of November, 1915, with interest after maturity; the said certificate of stock being pledged as security.

BANK OF LODGE,

By Dr. W. M. Moore, President.

Lodge, S. C., November 16th, 1915.

BIDS WANTED.

Notice is hereby given that the Bamberg County Dispensary Board will receive sealed bids for the sale of the articles below mentioned. Bids to be opened on December 15th, when sale will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder:

- At the office of the Bamberg County Dispensary Board, Bamberg, S. C.:
 - 1 Iron Safe.
 - 1 Remington Typewriter.
 - 1 Burroughs Adding Machine.
 - 1 Oak Table.
 - 1 Oak Desk.
 - 7 Chairs.
 - 1 Letter Press.
 - At the Bamberg dispensary:
 - 2 Ice Boxes.
 - At the Denmark dispensary:
 - 1 Ice Box.
 - At the Olar dispensary:
 - 1 Ice Box.
 - At the Ehrhardt dispensary:
 - 2 Ice Boxes.
- Bids will also be received for the sale of 1 block and tackle.
- BAMBERG COUNTY DIS. BD.,
J. S. Walker, Clerk.

MASTER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the court of common pleas for Bamberg county, S. C., heretofore made in the case of Mrs. M. A. Bamberg against Louise Bennet et al., I, H. C. Folk, Master for Bamberg county, will sell on Monday, December 6th, 1915, during the usual hours of sale, before the court house door in the town of Bamberg, to the highest bidder for cash, purchaser to pay for papers: All that certain piece, parcel, or lot of land, with buildings thereon, situate, lying and being in the town of Bamberg, county of Bamberg, State of South Carolina, containing one and three-fourths acres, more or less, and bounded on the North and East by lands of the estate of Margaret Lee, on the South by lands of Thomas Black, and on the West by Cox avenue, being the lot whereon A. J. Bennett resided.

H. C. FOLK,
Master for Bamberg County.
Bamberg, S. C., November 15th, 1915.

MASTER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decretal order, directed to me out of the court of common pleas, for Bamberg county, in the case of Jones A. Williams, plaintiff, against Minnie Bellinger et al., defendants, I, H. C. Folk, master for said county, will on Monday, the 6th day of December, 1915, the same being sales day, in the said month, between the legal hours of sale in front of the court house doors, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate:

All that piece, parcel, or tract of land, situate, lying, and being in Midway township, county and State aforesaid, containing one hundred and thirty-eight acres, more or less, and bounded on the North, by the run of Westberry Branch, East by lands of J. I. Copeland, South by lands of R. F. McMillan, and West by lands of John Whetstone.

Terms of sale cash, purchaser to pay for the papers.

H. C. FOLK,
Master for Bamberg County.

MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina—County of Bamberg—Jas. S. Simmons, Plaintiff, vs. A. M. Dantzler et al., defendants.

By virtue of a decree of the court of common pleas, in the above stated case, dated November 8, 1915, I, H. C. Folk, master for Bamberg county, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday December 6, 1915, during the legal hours of sale, at the court house door, Bamberg, S. C., the following described tract of land, to wit:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situate, lying and being in Fishpond township, county and State aforesaid, containing 125 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the North by lands of D. B. Rhoad and H. C. Haynes; and lands of H. Bessinger, and formerly of A. Karesch and now of H. C. Haynes bound it on the East; on the South by lands of S. J. Simmons and the public road leading from Branchville to Hunter's Chapel; on the West by lands of H. Bessinger and a tract of land formerly belonging to A. J. Hunter and now belonging to William Simmons.

Purchaser to pay for papers and revenue stamps.

H. C. FOLK,
Master for Bamberg County.
Bamberg, S. C., Nov. 9, 1915.

TAX SALE.

State of South Carolina, County of Bamberg.

By virtue of an execution to me directed by G. A. Jennings, treasurer of Bamberg county, I have levied upon and will sell at public auction before the court house door in Bamberg, S. C., on Monday, the 6th day of December, 1915, the same being legal sales day in said month, during the legal hours of sale, the real estate described below, to the highest bidder for cash, the said sale being for non-payment of taxes due and owing the State of South Carolina and the county of Bamberg:

All that lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the town of Ehrhardt, county and State aforesaid, bounded West by Broadway street; East by lands of J. Dave Dannelly; North and South by lands of J. H. Roberts. To be sold as the property of C. Boyd Bishop.

Terms cash.

S. G. RAY,
Sheriff for Bamberg County.
Bamberg, S. C., November 16th, 1915.

STATEMENT.

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Owner—A. W. Knight, Bamberg, S. C.

Known bondholders, mortgagees, etc.—None.

R. M. HITT.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of November, 1915.

H. LAWRENCE HINNANT,
Notary Public for S. C.

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